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Mr Sam Lacy
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Dear Sam:

I just received your letter, and was really glad to get it, as it was my first notice that there was a meeting scheduled for our League Feb. 20th. I have been wondering when we were going to meet. I am glad some one is able to know these things. I guess I will receive a notice some time soon.

Now about the suggestion in your letter, that our base all should set up a press relations bureau, I have been trying to get this done for a long time. I have been talking to some of our members recently, suggesting that it should be done now definitely. I had to laugh at the sentence in your letter where you said, "the cost would be no more than would be spent on another player, say \$125.00 a month". Sam do you really think there is a ballplayer in either of our leagues working for \$125.00 a month today? I cannot remember when we had a ballplayer receiving that little a salary.

I think one of our great problem is the newspapers have no idea what an expensive business this baseball is to operate.

I sincerely hope we will get a public relations program under way, but from past experience I am not too hopeful. I do hope you will be at the meeting and I will be able to see you then. I guess it will be at The Theresa in New York.

Abe send regards.

Sincerely Yours